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Applicant

James G. J. SHEARN

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Title

DIRECTLY ENGAGED SYRINGE DRIVER SYSTEM

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: 3763

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Mail Stop RCE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450

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SUBMISSION ACCOMPANYING RCE REQUIRED UNDER 37 CFR 1.114

Dear Sir:

This Submission is being filed concurrently with a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) of the above application and payment of the fee set forth in § 1.17(e) prior to payment of the issue fee, which is due on January 4, 2007.